THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) to (c) State Governments undertake necessary action to combat naxalite activities, including taking steps for protection of life and property and taking action as per law in cases of extortion, etc. from the people, the trade and industry and the institutions/offices located in naxalite affected areas.

Crime related to extortion, etc. registered, investigated and prosecuted by the State Government concerned.

Taking steps as appropriate and necessary is a continuous process.

The Central Government is supplementing the efforts and resources of the State Governments through a range of measures that include deployment of Central paramillitary forces, strengthening of the State police and intelligence agencies, reimbursement of security-related expenditure, providing training to State police forces, sharing of intelligence, bringing about inter-State coordination and assistance in development works.

Death of an Air Deccan female technician

331. SHRI VARINDER SINGH BAJWA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Delhi police has been able to solve the case of death of an Air Deccan female technician on 22nd October, 2007 at Delhi airport under mysterious circumstances;

(b) if so, the details thereof, indicating the particulars of the vehicle and its driver, who according to post-mortem report would have been responsible for causing the death; and

(c) if not, break-through in the matter has been achieved what steps are being taken to expedite the investigations?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI V. RADHIKA SELVI): (a) to (c) Delhi Police has registed a case FIR No. 120/07 on 23-10-2007 under section 279/304-A IPC at Police Station Palam Airport in this regard. In the post-mortem report of the deceased, the doctor opined that the death is "due to craniocerebral injuries' caused by the blunt force impact and shock and haemorrhage caused by blunt force injuries on the chest and abdomen. All the injuries are ante-mortem in nature and consistent with those caused by vehicular accident. Inspection of suspected vehicles of various airlines and Delhi International Airports Limited (DIAL) was conducted by Delhi Police and expert team of Central Forensic Science Laboratory (CFSL). Sustained interrogation of suspects was conducted. Seizure of relevant records was made. Information from various airlines, tape transcription of radio transmission of Apron and Air Tower Control has been obtained. The polygraph test of suspects was conducted at CFSL, Delhi and the report of the test is awaited. The investigation of the case is in progress.

Non registration of FIRs by Police

332. SHRI MOTIUR RAHMAN: WIll the Minister HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many cases have come to the notice of Government where Delhi Police did not register any FIRs for months and also did not collect MLC reports from the hospitals;

(b) if so, whether any investigation have been made in those cases to find out the reasons and any action taken against the guilty policemen and if so, the details thereof;

(c) what further steps have been taken to nab perpetrators who conspired to kill a senior citizen in R.K. Puram and the assaulters for attacking innocent senior citizen; and

(d) the steps taken to ensure that the same is not repeated in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI V. RADHIKA SELVI): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Education standard in MCD School

333. SHRI JAI PRAKASH AGGARWAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has conducted/propose to conduct any study regarding the level/ standard of education in the schools of Muncipal Corporation of Delhi; and

(b) if so, the outcome thereof and the measures made by Government to improve the standard of the schools of MCD?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI V. RADHIKA SELVI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Human rights violations in Andhra Pradesh

334. SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has any details of violation of human rights;

(b) if so, the details thereof especially in Andhra Pradesh and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government is serious in solving the issues of violation of human rights cases; and

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith future action programme especially in Andhra Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) The National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) has registered 1,21,313 number of complaints of human rights violations, which includes cases brought forward from previous year as well as fresh institution during the current year (2006-07). During the period from 1st April, 2006 to 31st March, 2007, the Commission disposed off 93,421 cases (77% disposal).

The NHRC received 3504 complaints for alleged violation of human rights from Andhra Pradesh from 1.4.2007 to 12.11.2007 and disposed off 4005 cases during this period (which includes cases carried forward from the previous years).

(c) and (d) To deal with complaints of human rights violations, the Government has set up National Human Rights Commission in October, 1993. In addition, eighteen States, including State of Andhra Pradesh, have set up State Human Rights Commissions to deal with the cases of human rights violations.

The NHRC, *inter-alia*, has issued guidelines to all States/UTs for intimation of custodial deaths within 24 hours of its occurrence. The National Human Rights Commission has also been sending advisories to all States/UTs to follow a standardized procedure in all cases of deaths in police encounters in order to bring transparency and accountability of public servant. Since its establishment in October, 1993 the NHRC has been recommending interim relief to the victims of the next of kin of deceased victims in appropriate cases.